

SENATE BILL 78

EXHIBIT 1)
DATE 4.3.07
SB 78

MONTANA COUNTY ROAD RIGHTS OF WAY ARE 60 FEET WIDE BY STATE STATUTE, UNLESS A LESSER WIDTH IS DOCUMENTED AT THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

STREAM WIDTHS ARE MEASURED FROM HIGH WATER TO HIGH WATER MARK PER THE 1985 SUPREME COURT RULING AND THE MONTANA ATTORNEY GENERAL.

PUBLIC STREAM ACCESS IS GAINED BY THE ROAD R/W LYING NEXT TO THE BRIDGES.

FENCES WITH NO STREAM ACCESS ARE SOMETIMES PLACED ILLEGALLY FROM THE R/W LINE TO THE BRIDGE END.

THIS BILL WILL ALLOW A FENCE WITH A GATE TO BE PLACED LEGALLY FROM THE BRIDGE END OVER TO THE R/W LINE FENCE.

THIS IS A GAINED RIGHT BY THE LAND OWNERS----

A LEGAL FENCE ON PUBLIC R/W.

** THE LAND UNDER ROADS AND RIVERS IS KNOWN AS THE UNDERLYING FEE OWNERSHIP. THE LAW GRANTS TO THE PUBLIC, USE OF ROADS AND RIVERS IN THESE AREAS.*

Please vote **yes** on this bill.

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